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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: SALE \$49 MILLION IN U.S. TRUCKS TO LIBYA

REF: 75 TRIPOLI 1299 (NOTAL)

1. LIBYAN AGENT FOR AM GENERAL CORPORATION INFORMS US THAT FINAL CONTRACT FOR TRUCKS FOR LIBYAN ARMY WAS CONCLUDED IN LONDON FIRST PART OF JULY BY CHIEF LIBYAN ARMY PROCUREMENT LT. COL. HAMAD BELQASEM AND AM GEN OFFICIALS. AM GEN. AGENT SAYS LOC OF \$49 MILLION FOR ENTIRE ORDER WAS OPENED AND THAT DELIVERIES UNDER THIS CONTRACT ARE TO BE COMPLETED BY JULY 1978.

2. ACCORDING AM AGENT, 1200 TRUCK TOTAL CONSISTS FOLLOWING MODELS:

- A) 300 4 X 4 AM 151A 2 QUARTER TON JEEPS
- B) 500 6 X 6 AM 35A 2 2 1/2 TON CARGO
- C) 200 6 X 6 AM 809 5 TON CARGO
- D) 200 6 X 6 AM 809 5 TON WRECKER

3. AT ONE POINT LOCAL AGENT SAID ORDER FOR QUARTER TON JEEPS WOULD TOTAL 900, BUT IT WAS NOT CLEAR
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WHETHER THIS FIGURE REPRESENTS OPTION FOR FUTURE

DELIVERIES OR IS PART OF \$49 MILLION CONTRACT.

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